

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE PETITION OF SOUTHERN OHIO TELEPHONE)	
COMPANY FOR AN EXEMPTION FROM THE)	CASE NO. 92-392
REGULATION FOR ENHANCED SERVICE)	

O R D E R

On August 5, 1993, this Commission entered an Order granting Southern Ohio Telephone Company's ("SOTCO") petition for exemption of its "voice mail" service. Prior to the Commission's Order, SOTCO withdrew its request for exemption of five services which initially appeared in its petition, one of which was "Calling Party Pays." Therefore, this service was not considered by the Commission other than to indicate that the request for exemption was withdrawn. On August 25, 1993, SOTCO, pursuant to KRS 278.440, requested that the Commission grant rehearing or reconsideration of the August 5, 1993 Order to clarify that "Calling Party Pays" is a billing practice rather than a basic or enhanced service.

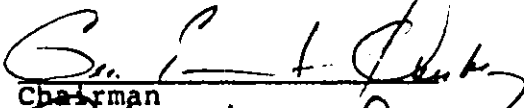
On September 7, 1993, AmeriCall, Inc. ("AmeriCall"), an intervenor, objected to SOTCO's request for rehearing contending that "Calling Party Pays" is a basic service which must be tariffed. Because the issue raised by AmeriCall was not considered in this proceeding and the only issue before the Commission was whether the specific enhanced service, "voice mail," should be exempted from regulation, the Commission finds that rehearing for the purpose of determining or clarifying whether "Calling Party Pays" is a basic or enhanced service and whether it is a retail or


wholesale service which must be tariffed is inappropriate and beyond the scope of this proceeding.

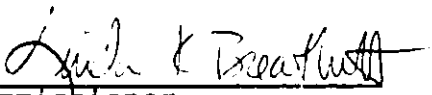
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that SOTCO's petition for rehearing or reconsideration is denied.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 13th day of September, 1993.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director